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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on December 9, 2004, Applicants hereby elect Group I, with traverse, for prosecution on the merits. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136(a) and 1.17(a), a five-month extension of the term for reply, i.e., to up to and including June 9, 2005, is requested. Submitted herewith is a check for \$2,160.00 in payment of the fee required therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fee, or credit any overpayment in fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.